

# **DEPARTMENT OF SPANISH**

## **OPEN ELECTIVES UNDER CBCS PATTERN FOR CAMPUS SCHOOLS**

**Spanish** is spoken by a vast number of people in Latin America and South America. It is the second largest among the foreign languages spoken in the world. It is the official language of more than 20 countries. It is also one of the official languages of UNO, European Union and many other International Organizations. The SRTM University is a part of the Erasmus Mundus scholarship programme, wherein Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain is one of the partner universities. Thus, those having knowledge of Spanish get a huge advantage in getting scholarships under this programme where Spanish is a language of instruction, communication and even eligibility. Thus, this language can turn out to be an invaluable asset in shaping bright career of the students. Given the growing relations between India and the countries of Latin America and South America, knowledge of Spanish is essential to have a direct contact with the people of these regions. There is a huge Hispanic diaspora in the United States which makes Spanish the second most spoken language in the US.

**Scope:** There is an increasing need in the IT enabled industry for Spanish language experts. Learning this language prepares the students for a wide range of careers in: MNCs and BPOs, Embassies, Education, Media Translation and Interpretation, Government and Public Sector National and International Banks, Monetary institutions and agencies International Publishing Houses, Tourism Industry, NGOs, Entertainment Industry (dubbing of serials, films and documentaries). Thus, these electives offer a unique opportunity to learners with diverse needs to gain gradual mastery over the language. This will benefit the students to move across institutions within India to begin with and across countries. Keeping in mind the rapid growing scope of this language, the Department of Spanish has been constantly offering various courses on and off the campus since January 2012.

### **2 CREDIT OPEN ELECTIVES**

Students enrolled in the Masters Programme of all the Schools on the campus can opt for one of the following courses to complete the required minimum 2 credits from outside own course (inter/intra school) or as add on course under the CBCS pattern:

Sr. No.	Name of the Course/Module	Course Code	Credits	Offered in Semester
01.	Spanish for Science and Technology - I	SP-S1	2	Monsoon
02.	Spanish for Science and Technology - II	SP-S2	2	Winter

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### **4 CREDIT OPEN ELECTIVES**

The Department of Spanish is offering the following 4 Credit Open Electives to students enrolled in the Masters Programme of all the Schools on the campus.

Sr. No.	Name of the Course/Module	Course Code	Credits	Offered in Semester
01.	General Spanish – I	SP-G1	4	Monsoon
02.	General Spanish - II	SP-G2	4	Winter

In order to enroll to the above mentioned courses, students should submit individual or group application (signed by the director of their school) along with their Contact No. and Email Id to the below mentioned address. They may also send an email to register their names mentioning their complete details:

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